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Security Council

10 a.m.	6610th meeting	Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Liberia

   Twenty-third progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2011/497)

Morning[1]	Consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

Liberia (S/2011/497)

Other matters

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 6610th meeting.

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

3 p.m.	1st plenary meeting	General Assembly Hall

1. Opening of the session by the President of the General Assembly
2. Minute of silent prayer or meditation[1]
3. Appointment of the members of the Credentials Committee
4. Organization of work of the sixty-sixth regular session of the General Assembly: letter from the Chair of the Committee on Conferences (A/66/346)

[1]Under this item, the General Assembly will also pay tribute to the memory of former Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjöld, who passed away fifty years ago on 18 September 1961.

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General Assembly
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High-level Meetings

Information concerning the High-level Meetings of the General Assembly to be held in September 2011 can be consulted on page 8 of the current issue of the *Journal*. For further details, delegations are kindly requested to refer to document A/INF/66/4** (in English only).

Security announcement

A briefing for delegations regarding the security arrangements for the High-level meetings and the general debate of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly will take place on Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). *Permanent missions and permanent observer missions are urged to be represented at the briefing.*

Secretary-General's Symposium on International Counter-Terrorism Cooperation
(19 September 2011)

The Secretary-General will host a Symposium on International Counter-Terrorism Cooperation on Monday, 19 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). Registration for the event will take place from 9.15 to 9.45 a.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB). All the participants are requested to be seated by 9.45 a.m.

The list of speakers for the Symposium is open to all Member States and Permanent Observers. Comments from participants are limited to a maximum of *three minutes* following the statements of members of the panel in sessions II, III, IV and V. To inscribe, please contact Mr. Fabrizio Trezza, CTITF (e-mail trezza@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4134). The inscriptions will be closed on Sunday, 18 September 2011, at *6 p.m.*

High-level Meeting on Nuclear Safety and Security
(22 September 2011)

The High-level Meeting on Nuclear Safety and Security, convened by the Secretary-General, will take place on Thursday, 22 September 2011. Information on the Meeting is contained in document A/INF/66/4** (in English only).

A list of speakers for the high-level interactive sessions, maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis, *is open for inscription*. Participants wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers are invited to contact the Disarmament and Peace Affairs Branch (for delegations A to L and session 1: Ms. Ruby Kulanusorstit (e-mail kulanusorstit@un.org; room IN-0613B; tel. 1 (212) 963-5592; fax 1 (212) 963-5305); and for delegations from M to Z and session 2: Mr. Dino Del Vasto (e-mail del-vasto@un.org; room IN-0608E; tel. 1 (212) 963-0388; fax 1 (212) 963-5305)). Delegations are reminded that their statements should not exceed *four minutes*.

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General debate
(21–24 and 26–27 September 2011)

An updated list of speakers (No. 2) for the general debate of the sixty-sixth regular session of the General Assembly is now available at the General Assembly Affairs Branch (rooms IN-603H and NLB-1033). The list of speakers has also been sent by facsimile directly to the permanent missions (Office of the Permanent Representative).

Delegations are kindly reminded that, in accordance with existing practice at the sessions of the General Assembly, a voluntary 15-minute time limit should be observed during the general debate. The list of speakers was prepared on the basis of this 15-minute time limit statement by each delegation. In order to help the speakers to follow with the time for their statement, a mechanism will be installed at the rostrum. Delegations may wish to inform their capital on this procedure.

Security Council

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea

3 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Informal Working Group on International Tribunals

3 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

General Assembly

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Informal consultations on the provisional agenda item 76 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 6 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 6 (NLB)

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. Ethics Office
2. Report of the Board of Auditors on International Public Sector Accounting Standards (IPSAS)
3. Executive meeting

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Second regular session 2011

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . 3rd meeting . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

1. Proposals for UNICEF programme cooperation . . . . . [4]

   (d) Advocacy, programme development and intercountry programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.46)

   (e) Recommendation for approval of additional regular resources for approved country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.47)

   (a) Approval of revised country programme and common country programme documents

   (b) Draft country programme and common country programme documents (The 14 draft country programme and common country programme documents for this session will be presented by region)

   (c) Midterm reviews of country programmes

   (f) Extensions of ongoing country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/IP/L.48)

   South Asia (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.34)

   West and Central Africa

   Cape Verde (DP/FPA/OPS-ICEF/DCCP/2011/CPV/1); Midterm reviews of country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.31)

Eastern and Southern Africa

Malawi (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.36); Mozambique (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.37); Midterm reviews of country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.30)

Middle East and North Africa

Algeria (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.38); Islamic Republic of Iran (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.39); Yemen (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.13); Midterm reviews of country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.35); Extensions of ongoing country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/IP/L.48)

East Asia and the Pacific

Papua New Guinea (DP/FPA/OPS-ICEF/DCCP/2011/PNG/1); Thailand (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.45); Viet Nam (DP/FPA/OPS-ICEF/DCCP/2011/VNM/1); Midterm reviews of country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.33)

Americas and the Caribbean

Brazil (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.40); Dominican Republic (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.41); Guyana and Suriname (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.42); Panama (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.43); Peru (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.44); Midterm reviews of country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.32)

2. Special focus session on the collaboration between the Council of Europe and UNICEF

3–5 p.m. . . . . 4th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Proposals for UNICEF programme cooperation . . . . . [4]

(f) Extensions of ongoing country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/IP/L.48)

Americas and the Caribbean

Brazil (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.40); Dominican Republic (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.41); Guyana and Suriname (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.42); Panama (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.43); Peru (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.44); Midterm reviews of country programmes (E/ICEF/2011/P/L.32)

5–6 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

[The Western European and Other States Group will meet from 9 to 9.45 a.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).]

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fifth session

Central African Republic configuration

An informal meeting of the Central African configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held *today*, 13 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 13 September 2011

Group of Least Developed Countries (on the draft Ministerial Declaration) (at the expert level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room DC1-1235

Group of 77 (on the draft Ministerial Declaration)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room C (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room C (NLB)

OIC Group (at the expert level)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Other activities

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Tuesday, 13 September 2011

Special briefing on the work of the First Committee of the General Assembly (disarmament and international security) (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and the Permanent Missions of Egypt and Indonesia)

From 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 to 5 p.m., at the Permanent Mission of Indonesia (325 East 38th Street).

[The briefing is targeted for First Committee delegates, especially for those who are attending the General Assembly session for the first time. To register, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>; or complete the registration form that was faxed to all permanent missions. For additional queries, please contact Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196; room DC1-603).]

Briefing on "South-South migration cooperation" (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR), the International Organization for Migration (IOM), the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the MacArthur Foundation)

From 10 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB) *(postponed until further notice)*.

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

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Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
12.15 p.m.	H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General; Professor Ms. Awa-Marie Coll-Seck, Executive Director, Roll Back Malaria Partnership; and Ms. Geeta Rao Gupta, Deputy Executive Director, UNICEF (on the Roll Back Malaria Partnership's report entitled "A decade of partnership and results")
3.30 p.m.	Background briefing by a senior official of the Office of Legal Affairs
4.30 p.m.	H.E. Mr. Nassir Abdulaziz Al-Nasser (Qatar), President of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly

Forthcoming official meetings

Wednesday, 14 September 2011

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

General Committee

10 a.m.	1st meeting (closed)	Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Organization of work of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: Memorandum of the Secretary-General (A/BUR/66/1)[1]

[1]To be issued.

General Assembly

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High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases (19–20 September 2011)

The lists of speakers for the plenary meeting and round tables of the High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases are now closed. Delegations are kindly reminded that statements should not exceed *three minutes* when speaking in their national capacity, and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on addressing desertification, land degradation and drought in the context of sustainable development and poverty eradication (20 September 2011)

The list of speakers for the interactive panels of the High-level Meeting of the General Assembly on addressing desertification, land degradation and drought in the context of sustainable development and poverty eradication is now closed. Delegations are kindly reminded that statements in the interactive panels should not exceed *three minutes* when speaking in their national capacity, and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

High-level Meeting of the General Assembly to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the adoption of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action (22 September 2011)

The list of speakers for the round tables of the High-level Meeting of the General Assembly to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the adoption of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action is now closed. Participants in the round tables are kindly advised to make brief remarks that do not exceed *three minutes*.

General Assembly

Sixty-sixth session

Informal consultations on the provisional agenda item 76 (b) (Oceans and the law of the sea: Sustainable fisheries)

The informal consultations on the draft resolution on agenda item 76 (b) (Sustainable fisheries) of the provisional agenda of the sixty-sixth regular session of the General Assembly will be continued on Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

The workshop to discuss implementation of relevant paragraphs of General Assembly resolutions 61/105 and 64/72 (A/RES/61/105 and A/RES/64/72) on the impacts of bottom fishing on vulnerable marine ecosystems and the long-term sustainability of deep sea fish stocks will be held during the time made available for the informal consultations, on Thursday, 15, and Friday, 16 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Additional information regarding the workshop is available on the Web site of the Division <www.un.org/Depts/los/reference_files/workshop_fisheries_2011.pdf>.

Main Committees

First Committee

The First Committee will hold its first meeting on Friday, 16 September 2011, in the morning in the General Assembly Hall, immediately following the plenary meeting, to elect the Vice-Chairs and the Rapporteur for the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly.

The First Committee will hold its organizational meeting on Friday, 30 September 2011, 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB), to consider its tentative programme of work and timetable (A/65/418). A technical briefing by the Secretariat for delegates of the First Committee will be held in Conference Room 4 (NLB), immediately after the adjournment of the organizational meeting.

The Committee will begin its substantive work by holding a general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items, from Monday, 3, to Tuesday, 11 October 2011. The list of speakers for the general debate is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to kindly contact Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (e-mail cianciulli@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9277; room IN-615A).

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, in accordance with the practice at recent sessions of the First Committee and guidance provided by the Bureau, a time limit should be observed of *10 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *15 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of this time limit.

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded to Mr. Timur Alasaniya, Secretary of the First Committee (c/o Ms. Francine Leong (e-mail leong@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4389; room IN-606A; fax 1 (212) 963-5305). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact Ms. Lidija Komatina (tel. 1 (212) 963-2378; room IN-608B).

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee QuickFirst Web site <https://unishare.un.org/LotusQuickr/quickfirst/Main.nsf>. For inquiries regarding QuickFirst, kindly contact Mr. Sergei Cherniavsky (e-mail cherniavsky@un.org).

Second Committee

The Second Committee will hold its first meeting on Friday, 16 September 2011, in the morning, in the General Assembly Hall, immediately following the meeting of the First Committee, to elect the Vice-Chairs and the Rapporteur for the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly, and to consider its proposed organization of work (A/C.2/66/L.1).

Third Committee

The Third Committee will hold its first meeting on Friday, 16 September 2011, in the morning, in the General Assembly Hall, immediately following the meeting of the Second Committee, to elect the Vice-Chairs and the Rapporteur for the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly

Informal briefing

Pursuant to paragraph 3 (h) of the annex to General Assembly resolution 58/316 (A/RES/58/316), the Chair of the Third Committee for the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Dato' Hussein Haniff (Malaysia), will hold an informal briefing on the organization of work of the Committee (A/C.3/66/L.1), on Wednesday, 14 September 2011, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

List of speakers

The Committee will begin its work on Monday, 3 October, at 10 a.m. The list of speakers for the general discussion on all items of the Third Committee will open on Monday, 26 September 2011. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact, *in writing*, Ms. Lorna Fidler, (e-mail fidler@un.org) and Ms. Isabelle Alejandrino (e-mail alejandrino@un.org) (fax 1 (212) 963-5935), indicating the full name and title of the speaker.

Composition of delegations

Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be submitted, *as soon as possible*, to the Acting Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Otto Gustafik (c/o Mr. Paolo Dua (e-mail 3rdcommittee@un.org; room NL-1033 or IN-603G)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/66/2 will be accepted by e-mail.

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
Special meeting

The Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism will hold a special meeting commemorating the tenth anniversary of the adoption of Security Council resolution 1373 (2001) and the establishment of the Committee, on Wednesday, 28 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). Member States are invited to attend. The provisional agenda can be consulted at <www.un.org/en/sc/ctc>.

Member States, as well as international, regional and subregional organizations, are invited to participate and make interventions in the three sessions. Interventions are limited to a maximum of *four minutes*.

Delegations are kindly requested to register and indicate the session in which they wish to make an intervention, *by Friday, 16 September*, by contacting Mr. Gurdip Sangha, Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (e-mail sangha@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1853). For information concerning substantive issues, please contact Mr. Ahmed Seif El-Dawla, CTED (e-mail seifel-dawla@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 457-1017).

General Assembly

Committee on Information
Informal meeting

The Committee on Information will hold an informal intersessional meeting (closed) on Friday, 16 September 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination

High-level Committee on Programmes
Twenty-second session

The High-level Committee on Programmes of the United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination will hold its twenty-second session (closed) on Thursday, 15, and Friday, 16 September 2011, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Building a peaceful and better world through sport and the Olympic ideal" (under agenda item 10 of the provisional agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly) (convened by the delegation of the United Kingdom)

Thursday, 15 September 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (Third Committee experts)

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Alliance of Small Island States (AOSIS) (plenary meeting)

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Group of Least Developed Countries (at the expert level)

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Friday, 16 September 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Non-Aligned Movement: Coordinating Bureau (at the ambassadorial level)

Thursday, 15 September 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Group of Landlocked Developing Countries (at the level of ministers for foreign affairs)

Friday, 23 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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UNITAR briefings for new delegates to the General Assembly

General briefing on the work of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB); and

Thursday, 15 September 2011, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Special briefing on the work of the Second Committee

Friday, 16 September 2011, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Special briefing on the work of the Third Committee

Friday, 16 September 2011, from 2.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Special briefing on the work of the Fifth Committee

Friday, 16 September 2011, from 2.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room C (NLB).

[The briefings are open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. Registration is required and available at <www.unitar.org/ny>. For further information, please contact, Ms. Soukeyna Fall, UNITAR (e-mail falls@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Briefing to Member States and Permanent Observers on "The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia supported Counter-Terrorism Project" (by the Permanent Representative of Saudi Arabia and the Chair, Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF))

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. Fabrizio Trezza, CTITF (e-mail trezza@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4134).]

Launch of the 7 Billion Actions Campaign with the Secretary-General, and a multi-sectoral panel discussion on "A world of 7 billion people — Seizing the opportunities and meeting the challenges" (organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA))

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 12 noon to 1.15 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Andrew Begg, UNFPA (e-mail begg@unfpa.org; tel. 1 (212) 297-5030).]

Special event on "Curbing illicit financial flows: Accelerating LDC graduation in the next decade" (co-organized by the Special Unit for South-South Cooperation, the Bureau for Development Policy, United Nations Development Programme, and the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs)

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 1 to 3 p.m., at the Millennium Plaza Hotel (Diplomat Ballroom).

[Members of permanent missions are invited to attend. For registration, please contact Ms. Mami Yamada (e-mail mami.yamada@undp.org); or Ms. Yoko Shimura, Special Unit for South-South Cooperation (e-mail yoko.shimura@undp.org).]

Symposium on "Give peace another chance" (on the occasion of the International Day of Peace) (organized by the United Nations Academic Impact initiative, Department of Public Information (DPI))

Wednesday, 14 September 2011, at 7 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[The Secretary-General will make opening remarks. For further information and registration, please contact the office the United Nations Academic Impact, DPI (e-mail academicimpact@un.org).]

Women's International Forum: Meeting on "A vision for the United Nations in a changing world" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Thursday, 15 September 2011, from 10 to 11.30 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited to attend.]

Panel discussion on "Political space for civil society action" (organized by the ACT Alliance, in cooperation with the Permanent Mission of Sweden)

Thursday, 15 September 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Efraim Gómez, Permanent Mission of Sweden (e-mail efraim.gomez@foreign.ministry.sel; tel. 1 (212) 583-2506).]

Media round table (organized by the Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF))

Monday, 19 September 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Ms. Karen L. Kennedy Mahmoud, CTITF (e-mail mahmoud11@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2496).]

Briefing on "The role of mediation in the settlements of disputes by peaceful means" (co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the Office of the President of the General Assembly)

Wednesday, 21 September 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[The briefing is open to parliamentarians attending the general debate of the General Assembly as part of national delegations. For more information, please contact the IPU Office to the United Nations (e-mail ny-office@mail.ipu.org; tel. 1 (212) 557-5880).]

Ministerial Mini-Summit on the Humanitarian Response in the Horn of Africa (on the margins of the general debate of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly) (organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs)

Saturday, 24 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

[The Secretary-General will make opening remarks. The Mini-Summit is open to all members of permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact Ms. Laura Rodríguez, OCHA (e-mail rodriguez14@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2770).]

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142, as indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

General Assembly documentation

In French:
Wednesday, 14 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Introduction to United Nations documentation

In English:
Thursday, 22 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

United Nations Bibliographic Information System (UNBISnet)

In English:
Tuesday, 27 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Official Document System (ODS)

In English:
Thursday, 29 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Credentials of the representatives to the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly

Delegations are reminded, that in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, the credentials of representatives and the names of members of a delegation shall be submitted to the Secretary-General if possible not less than one week before the opening of the sixty-sixth session. The credentials shall be issued either by the Head of State or Government or by the Minister of Foreign Affairs. Copies of credentials may be faxed (1 (212) 963-6430) and originals hand-delivered to the Secretary of the Credentials Committee (Room 13051, 380 Madison Avenue). Should delegations have any questions, the Secretary's Office may be contacted (tel. 1 (917) 367-8296).

Live webcast of the general debate of the General Assembly (21–30 September 2011)

The general debate of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly will be broadcast live and on-demand over the Internet (in English and original language) from 21 to 30 September 2011. It will be accessible through the United Nations Webcast at <www.un.org/webcast>.

Delegations are invited to send by e-mail an advance electronic copy of their statement, in one or more of the United Nations official languages, to ensure timely and accurate posting of the text on the United Nations Web site and as a step to reducing paper usage. The statements should be sent to dpigaweb@un.org.

Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty (Article XIV)

The Conference on Facilitating the Entry into Force of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty will be held at United Nations Headquarters, on 23 September 2011. The draft provisional agenda for the Conference is contained in document CTBT-Art.XIV/2011/2/Rev.1.

The Conference will convene on Friday, 23 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Delegations are reminded that credentials should be issued for representatives of ratifying States and the name of alternate representatives and advisers, in accordance with rule 3 of the draft rules of procedure (CTBT-Art.XIV/2011/1). This information should be submitted to Mr. Curtis Raynold, Conference Secretariat, Weapons of Mass Destruction Branch, Office for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-0386; e-mail raynold@un.org; fax 1 (917) 367-1760; Daily News Building, room DN-3500).

The provisional list of speakers for the general exchange of views by ratifying States and signatories is open. For inquiries, please contact Mr. Hong Tan, Office for Disarmament Affairs (tel. 1 (212) 963-7062; fax 1 (917) 367-1767; Daily News Building, room DN-3500).

All delegates are reminded that security regulations in force require each and every participant in the Conference be registered and have a valid grounds pass plus a colour-coded access card. Packages including access cards for the Conference, as well as for the High-level Meetings and the general debate of the sixth-sixth session of the General Assembly, for Member States and intergovernmental organizations, prepared by the Protocol and Liaison Service, will be ready for collection in room NL-2063, on Friday, 16 September 2011, beginning at 10 a.m. For more information on registration, please refer to the information note for participants at the Conference (CTBT-Art.XIV/2011/INF.1).

Participants wishing to distribute copies of their statements are requested to provide 300 copies of their official statements for distribution in the conference room. The United Nations Secretariat does not provide photocopying services.

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Election of Judges for the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals

Further to a letter from the Legal Counsel, Ms. Patricia O'Brien, dated 22 June 2011, the deadline for nominations of candidates for election to the roster of judges who could be called to serve on the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals *has been extended to Friday, 16 September 2011*. States may nominate up to two candidates. Nominations, attaching curriculum vitae for each candidate of no more than four pages, should be addressed to the Legal Counsel.

United Nations Regional Course in International Law (Addis Ababa, Ethiopia (2012))

Applications for the 2012 United Nations Regional Course in International Law, scheduled to be held at the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 6 February to 2 March 2012, are now being accepted from candidates from Member States of the United Nations which are also members of the regional group of African States. The deadline for applications is *Friday, 14 October 2011*.

The Regional Course will be conducted in French. For further information, including applications forms, please consult the Web site of the Regional Course <www.un.org/law/rcil/>; or contact the Codification Division (e-mail rcil-africa@un.org).

Tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary and related meetings

The tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary and related meetings may now be accessed on the Web site of the General Assembly at the following address: <www.un.org/en/ga/info/meetings>.

Security Council

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Summary of official meetings

Monday, 12 September 2011

Security Council

6609th meeting

The situation in Sierra Leone

Seventh report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Sierra Leone (S/2011/554)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Sierra Leone, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Michael von der Schulenburg, Executive Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Sierra Leone.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to H.E. Mr. Guillermo Rishchynski, Chair of the Sierra Leone country-specific Configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission and Permanent Representative of Canada.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by Mr. von der Schulenburg and by H.E. Mr. Rishchynski.

The Council heard a statement by H.E. Mr. Joseph Dauda, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sierra Leone.

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

118th plenary meeting

Tribute to the memory of Mr. Harri Holkeri, President of the fifty-fifth session of the General Assembly

The President made a statement.

The President, on behalf of the General Assembly, conveyed his deepest condolences to the Government and the people of Finland and to the bereaved family of Mr. Holkeri.

The General Assembly observed a minute of silence.

The Secretary-General made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Sudan (on behalf of the African States), Indonesia (on behalf of the Asia-Pacific States), Romania (on behalf of the Eastern European States), Colombia (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean States), Monaco (on behalf of the Western European and other States), the United States (as host country) and Finland.

Report of the Economic and Social Council: Note by the Secretary-General (A/65/928) [9]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 9.

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision contained in the annex to document A/65/928.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 9.

Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items . . . . . [7]

The General Assembly decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 10.

Implementation of the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS: draft decision A/65/L.89 . . . . . [10]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 10.

The General Assembly adopted draft decision A/65/L.89.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item10.

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields: draft resolution (A/65/L.42/Rev.1) . . . . . [13]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 13.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.42/Rev.1 (resolution 65/313).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 13.

Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items . . . . . [7]

The General Assembly decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 19 and to consider it directly in plenary meeting.

Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the 2008 Review Conference: draft resolution (A/65/L.91) . . . . . [19]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 19.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.91 (resolution 65/314).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 19.

The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan . . . . . [39]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of item 39 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixty-sixth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 39.

Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte . . . . . [40]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of item 40 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixty-sixth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 40.

Question of Cyprus [43]; *Armed aggression against the Democratic Republic of the Congo* [44]; *Question of the Falkland Islands (Malvinas)* [45]; *The situation of democracy and human rights in Haiti* [46]; *Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security* [47]; *Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait* [48]

The General Assembly decided to include items 43 to 48 in the draft agenda of the sixty-sixth session, in accordance with resolution 58/316 of 1 July 2004.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda items 43 to 48.

Election of seven members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination: Note by the Secretary-General (A/65/291/Add.1) . . . . . [112 (a)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 112.

The General Assembly declared France elected as member of the Committee for Programme and Coordination for a term of office beginning on 12 September 2011 and expiring on 31 December 2012.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 112 and agenda item 112 as a whole.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly (A/65/909) . . . . . [118]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 118.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution contained in paragraph 90 of the report of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the General Assembly (A/65/909) (resolution 65/315).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 118.

Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters . . . . . [119]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 119.

The General Assembly decided:

(a) to immediately continue intergovernmental negotiations on Security Council reform in informal plenary of the General Assembly at its sixty-sixth session, as mandated by General Assembly decisions 62/557 of 15 September 2008, 63/565 of 14 September 2009 and 64/568 of 13 September 2010, building on the progress achieved during its sixty-fifth session, as well as the positions of and proposals made by Member States, while noting with appreciation the initiatives and intensive efforts of the President of the General Assembly and the Chair of the intergovernmental negotiations, including the preparation of the text reflecting the positions of and proposals submitted by Member States, with a view to an early comprehensive reform of the Security Council;

(b) to convene the Open-ended Working Group on the Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters Related to the Security Council during the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly if Member States so decide; and

(c) to include in the agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly an item entitled "Question of Equitable Representation on and Increase in the Membership of the Security Council and Other Matters Related to the Security Council".

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 119.

Cooperation between the United Nations and the Pacific Islands Forum: draft resolution (A/65/L.90) . . . . . [122 (t)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (t) of agenda item 122.

The representative of New Zealand made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/65/L.90.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/65/L.90 (resolution 65/316).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (t) of agenda item 122.

Follow-up to the recommendations on administrative and internal oversight of the Independent Inquiry Committee into the United Nations Oil-for-Food Programme [123]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of item 123 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixty-sixth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 123.

Financing of the United Nations Mission in East Timor [149]

The General Assembly decided to defer consideration of item 149 and to include it in the draft agenda of its sixty-sixth session.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 149.

The President reminded the General Assembly that the following agenda items, on which action had been taken at previous meetings, still remained open during the sixty-fifth session of the Assembly: items 14, 15, 20 (i), 23, 26, 27 (b), 29, 30, 36 to 38, 42, 63, 66, 69 (a), (b) and (d), 74 (a), 107 to 109, 113 (f), (g) and (h), 114, 115, 117, 120, 122 (b), (i), (n), (q), (r) and (w), 125 to 148 and 150 to 160.

The President recalled that these items had been included in the draft agenda of the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly, with the exception of item 14, sub-items (b), (i), (n), (q), (r) and (w) of agenda item 122, item 137 and item 138.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of these items at the sixty-fifth session.

Closing statement by the President

The President made a statement.

The Secretary-General made a statement.

The General Assembly observed one minute of silent prayer or meditation.

Closure of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly

The President declared closed the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

General Assembly

Committee on Conferences
Substantive session of 2011

516th meeting — The summary of the 516th meeting of the Committee on Conferences will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2011/176).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Cocoa Agreement, 2010. Geneva, 25 June 2010

Signature: Indonesia (12 September 2011)

International Tropical Timber Agreement, 2006. Geneva, 27 January 2006

Ratification: Myanmar (12 September 2011)[1]

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *September 2011* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

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H.E. Mr. Daffa-Alla Elhag Ali Osman

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Indonesia
H.E. Mr. Hasan Kleib

Eastern European States:
Romania
H.E. Ms. Mrs. Simona Mirela Miculescu

Latin American and Caribbean States:
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H.E. Mr. Néstor Osorio

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A/RES/65/297	Item 150 — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly — Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*

A/RES/65/298 — Item 151 — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly — Financing of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

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A/66/224 — Items 134 and 143 of the provisional agenda — Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013 — Administration of justice at the United Nations — Activities of the Office of the United Nations Ombudsman and Mediation Services — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *42 pages*

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A/66/350 — Item 138 of the provisional agenda — Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations — Letter dated 9 September 2011 from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

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S/2011/561 — Letter dated 7 September 2011 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

S/2011/563 — Letter dated 8 September 2011 from the Permanent Representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

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S/AC.43/2011/3 — Note verbale dated 6 September 2011 from the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Latvia to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

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